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POST OFFICES IN BIHAR
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Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

(a) the number of post offices opened in the rural areas of Bihar during the last three years and current year, location- wise;

(b) the number of post offices computerised during the said period;

(c) the impact of the computerization on employment in these post offices; and

(d) the number of employees declared surplus after the computerization in these post offices?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (SH THIRUNAVUKKARASAR)

(a) The number of post offices opened in rural areas of Bihar during the last three years and current year is given below. Details of their location are given in Annexure 'A'.

Year	No. of Post Offices opened
1999-2000	51
2000-2001	71
2001-2002	38
2002-2003	2

(b) The number of post offices computerised during the last three years and those which are targeted to be computerised during the current financial year are given below:-

Year	Number
1999-2000	23
2000-2001	7
2001-2002	3
2002-2003 (Current Year)	4
Total	37

(c) Computerisation of various operations in the post offices has yielded savings in terms of manpower which have been redeployed in other needy areas.

(d) Post Office-wise details of manpower saved due to computerisation is given in Annexure 'B'.

Annexure -A

Details of Post offices opened during Plan Year 1999-2000

Sl.No.	Name of District	Name of Division	Name of Post Office
1.	Muzaffarpur	Muzaffarpur	1. Raghi 2. Jhikti

2.	Gopalganj	Siwan	3.	Barkagaon
			4.	Neori
3.	Siwan	Siwan	5.	Machhata
4.	Madhubani	Madhubani	6.	Amanja
5.	Nalanda	Nalanda	7.	Gossain Math
			8.	Basaman Bigha
			9.	Pachloa
			10.	Pachawra
6.	Darbhanga	Darbhanga	11	Sadikpur
			12	Matunia
			13	Mahuli
			14	Sihaul
			15	Maheshwar
			16	Karhatiya
			17	Baskati
7.	Vaishali	Vaishali	18	Sidhopura
			19	Bhankaul
			20	Belkunda
			21	Hargahindpur
			22	Chaksaid
			23	Chak Singar
			24	Sherpur Chhatwara
			25	Chak Jamal
			26	Gaura Urf Govindpur Debi
			27	Anjali
			28	Bothaha Mahadat
			29	Meenapur Rai
			30	Sarai Dhanesh

31 Karwadug

32 Saidpur Dumra

33 Chakaiya

34 Milki Urf Chakwa ke
Khigerpur
35 Zafarpatti

8. Palamu Palamu 36 Jainagara

9. Aurangabad Aurangabad 37 Birhai

38 Gijra

10. Giridih Giridih 39 Bedwara

11. Khagaria Begusarai 40 Siswa

41 Saharaun

12. Samastipur Samastipur 42 Raniparti

43 Basudewa

44 Buzurg Daur

13. Madhepura Saharsa 45 Shajkarpur Madhelli

14. Ranchi Ranchi 46 Rugadi

47 Shukurda

15. Jamua Munger 48 Pathak Chak

16. Bhagalpur Bhagalpur 49 Bhimdas Tola

17. Sheikhpura Munger 50 Shahari

18. Hazaribagh Hazaribagh 51 Banghara

Details of Post offices opened during Plan Year 2000-2001
Sl.No Name of Name of Name of Post Office
District Division

1. Aurangabad Aurangabad 1. Bhaugawan

2. Azamgarh

3. Kakka

2.	Begusarai	Begusarai	4. Damdama
3.	Bhagalpur	Bhagalpur	5. Monga chak
			6. Kumri
			7 Bhikhampur
4.	Banka	Bhagalpur	8. Rajpur
5.	Darbhanga	Darbhanga	9. Sahtoli
			10 Tarwara
			11 Sahari
			12 Kamrouli
			13 Belhi
			14 Ratanpura
			15 Sunsari
			16 Chaila
			17 Alimabad Misrsuli
			18 Mahata
			19 Bishanpur NDSO
6.	East Champaran	East Champaran	20 Narainpur
7	Gaya	Gaya	21 Bhalue
			22 Kalanpur
8.	Gopalganj	Siwan	23 Jhirwa
			24 Behralia
			25 Durg Matihania

9.	Jamui	Munger	26	Tehba
10.	Khagaria	Begusarai	27	Amni
			28	Patel Nagar
			29	Bharra
			30	Chak Prayat
11.	Madhubani	Madhubani	31	Sikashatta
			32	Brahmapur
12.	Muzaffarpur	Muzaffarpur	33	Pagahia Asima
			34	Kumha
			35	Pakari Basarat
			36	Mehasi
13.	Nalanda	Nalanda	37	Bajitpur Khira
			38	Chhatiana
			39	Aksari
			40	Sadarpur
14.	Nawada	Gaya	41	Pachara
15.	Patna	Patna	42	Doma
16.	Rohtas	Rohtas	43	Massua
			44	Pararia
17.	Siwan	Siwan	45	Bhikampur

			46	Sultanpur Kala
			47	Pakari
18.	Samastipur	Samastipur	48	Koilan
			49	Alaria
19.	Sheikhpura	Samastipur	50	Kamta
			51	Sheikhpura
			52	Devla
			53	Bhadamni
			54	Junkidih Baldami
20.	Sitamarhi	Sitamarhi	55	Garehia
			56	Basatara
21.	Vaishali	Vaishali	57	Ramauli Urf Bishanpur
			58	Tokuasi
			59	Bishanpur Rajkhan
			60	Juranwanpur Barari
			61	Nalatar
			62	Bishanpur
			63	Panchasamia
			64	Kajari Buzurg
			65	Mainha
			66	Chasaha Kala
			67	Chandralaya

68 Basantpur

69 Govindpur Gokhula

70 Dilunapur
Gohaihan
71 Shaistrapur

Details of Post offices opened during Plan Year 2001-2002

Sl.No	Name of District	Name of Division	Name of Post Office
1.	Munger	Bhagalpur	Siwan Sisua
2.	Munger	Munger	Masoudha
3.	Nawada	Gaya	Chhatihar
4.	Vaishali	Vaishali	Shahpur
5.	Munger	Munger	Chuskuri Sasbamna
6.	Nawada	Gaya	Koshla
7	Jamui	Munger	Kharahua
8.	Sheikhpura	Munger	Sanaiya
9.	Bhagalpur	Bhagalpur	Chandrabhanpur
10.	Nalanda	Nalanda	Khaddi Lodipur
11.	Nalanda	Nalanda	Sakraurha
12.	Gaya	Gaya	Sithra
13.	Gaya	Gaya	Kharasin
14.	Rohtas	Rohtas	Sukul Pira
15.	Rohtas	Rohtas	Chhotki Chenari
16.	Jamui	Munger	Pataua
17.	Rohtas	Rohtas	Nishan Nagar Baddi
18.	Gopalganj	Siwan	Paikauli Bado
19.	Gopalganj	Siwan	Amarpura Tola
20.	Darbhanga	Darbhanga	Senimar Goopal
21.	Madhubani	Madhubani	Narendrapur
22.	East Champaran	Motihari	Chandrahia
23.	East Champaran	Motihari	Tola Mauni
24.	Muzaffarpur	Muzaffarpur	Beldam
25.	Darbhanga	Darbhanga	Sonhaun
26.	Saharsa	Saharsa	Rampur
27.	Katihar	Purnea	Panikamla
28.	Supaul	Saharsa	Gangapur
29.	Araria	Purnea	Rajganj
30.	Supaul	Saharsa	Mohania
31.	Madhubani	Madhubani	Gohhal
32.	Darbhanga	Darbhanga	Richighat
33.	Darbhanga	Darbhanga	Shiv Nagar Gaht
34.	Araria	Purnea	Fatehpur
35.	Muzaffarpur	Muzaffarpur	Sakariwara
36.	Gopalganj	Siwan	Rasoolpur
37.	Saran	Chapra	Fatehpur Chain
38.	Khagaria	Begusarai	Kharaite

Details of Post offices opened during Plan Year 2002-2003

Sl.No	Name of District	Name of Division	Name of Post Office
1.	Khagaria	Begusarai	Khargi Terasi
2.	Banka	Bhagalpur	Baniyan Kura

Annexure-B

Names of Post Offices fully computerised with number of staff working before and after computerisation

Sl.No	Name of Post Offices fully computerised	No. of staff working before computerisation	No. of staff working/left after computerization	No. of manpower saved after computerization
1.	Darbhanga HO	6	4	2
2.	Muzaffarpur HO	20	16	4
3.	Motihari HO	6	5	1
4.	Chapra HO	3	3	-
5.	Sitamarhi	6	4	2
6.	Katihar HO	7	6	1
7	Bankipora HO	8	6	2
8.	Patna GPO	11	7	4
9.	Gaya HO	15	10	5
10.	Sasaram HO	18	17	1
11.	Hajipur	11	10	1
12.	Bhagalpur	7	6	1
13.	Munger	7	6	1
14.	Samastipur HO	5	4	1
15.	Gopalganj HO	10	9	1